

NEWS OF CITY AND COUNTY CONDENSED

Matters of General Interest Gathered by Our Reporters.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL ITEMS

What Has Happened and What is Going to Happen Told in Short Paragraphs So That "He Who Runs May Read" It in The Sun.

Insure with Cushman & Hill.
Simonson's Wonderful Salve for sale by J. W. McCollum & Co.

Miss Hattie Knight of High Springs was shopping in the city yesterday.

Nicely furnished room to rent to one or two gentlemen. Apply at Sun office.

F. M. Ramsey of Wacahoota was a visitor to the county capital yesterday.

J. Benton of Hague was in the city yesterday and made The Sun an agreeable call.

Frank G. Bauknight of Archer was among the business visitors to this city yesterday.

Reginald Futch departed yesterday for St. Leo, where he will enter the St. Leo Catholic school.

W. J. Hodge of Alachua, one of the leading citizens of that section, was trading in the city yesterday.

W. O. Futch of High Springs, a merchant of that place, was a business visitor to this city yesterday.

Wanted—Man to operate veneer, lathe and saw at once. Williston Manufacturing Co., Williston, Fla.

Dr. Wm. H. Pilcher and son, Chas. H. Pilcher, of New Orleans were registered at the Brown House yesterday.

Mrs. D. A. Robertson and daughters, Misses Lenora and Willie, have returned from Worthington Springs, where they have been on a visit to relatives.

Mrs. R. W. Limbaugh and son, Louie, and Miss Rechael Mixson of Jacksonville have returned to their home, after a pleasant visit to relatives, Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Mixson.

Among the visitors to Gainesville yesterday was Col. T. S. Wyllie of Savannah, head of the Wyllie-Gabbett Company, extensive manufacturers of lumber, who are extensively interested in Levy county.

Engineer Thos. Hyers of the Atlantic Coast Line is now in commission between High Springs and Rochelle. He is one of the cleverest throttle-pullers in the employ of that great system, and has many friends here.

Lost—Light bay mare, fifteen years old; looks to be about ten. About twelve hands high. Weight, between 800 and 700 pounds. Black mane and tail. Reward \$5. O. C. Brown, Nebo, Bradford county, Fla. dawit

Joseph H. Phillips of Brunswick, Ga., arrived in the city Wednesday, and Thursday assisted his brother in the auction sale of lots in North Gainesville. Mr. Phillips was here last year, and made many friends who were glad to meet him again.

Masters Neill and Hugh Becker entertained a select number of their young friends at a "donkey party" Wednesday evening. The little folks enjoyed themselves to the fullest extent, and report a fine time. During the evening refreshments were served.

A neat and substantial pavement of vitrified brick is being laid around the First Presbyterian Church, which will add greatly to the value and improvement of the property. This improvement will also be appreciated by pedestrians who have occasion to pass that way frequently.

Mrs. Jane Clark of Hague was in the city yesterday. She was en route to DeLand to visit her brother, Peter Rollins, and sister, Mrs. Eliza Benton. Since she has not had the pleasure of seeing these relatives for twenty years, the meeting will no doubt be a very joyful and impressive one.

Material for the proposed residence to be erected for W. B. Phifer, East Seminary street, is being placed upon the ground, and the carpenters will begin work in a few days. It is the intention of Mr. Phifer to erect a first-class and modern residence, which will be a credit to the owner and the city.

The congregation of the Baptist church have been for the week engaging in a regular afternoon prayer-meeting. The meetings have been well attended, and have been enjoyed. The last meeting will be held at the church at 3 o'clock this afternoon, and a cordial invitation is extended to all who desire to join in the service.

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Insure with Cushman & Hill.

A. R. Harper, the baker of Alachua, was transacting business in this city yesterday.

W. R. Baker, a merchant of McIntosh, was among the visitors to Gainesville yesterday.

The residence of George Ellis, East Seminary street, is being improved by the application of paint.

E. L. Hulme of Hawthorn, representing Stringfellow Bros., wholesale grocers, was in the city working the trade yesterday.

For Sale—New Wheeler & Wilson sewing machine, f. o. b. factory or Gainesville. Apply at this office or 303 East Liberty street. dwf

H. L. Rosenburger of Kirkwood, agent of the Gainesville and Gulf railroad at that point, was transacting business in this city yesterday.

Dr. G. Goldstein, the oculist, desires to state that he has decided to remain until Sunday, and those in need of his services may find him at the Brown House.

We want 100,000 pounds of scrap iron, 5,000 pounds of scrap brass. Will pay the highest price. Bring us your scrap iron and brass. Gainesville Foundry and Machine Works, Gainesville, Fla. dim

M. G. McCarroll, who has been for several months employed in Jacksonville, has returned to the city, and will again locate with his family here. Mr. McCarroll was for many years one of Gainesville's best citizens, and friends are glad to welcome him here again.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Brown, at their home in West Gainesville, entertained their friends last night with a "tacky" party, which was well attended and greatly enjoyed. As entertainers Mr. and Mrs. Brown upon this occasion retained their reputation.

J. H. Spence, one of the clever employees of Malphurs, Shaw & Co., has rented a cottage, purchased a lot of nice furniture, and his friends declare that "something is in the wind." Mr. Beck is responsible for this information, but inasmuch as Mr. Spence is a good-natured fellow no serious trouble is anticipated.

Among the visitors to this city yesterday was W. J. Davis, a clever young man of Outhbert, Ga., who is in this vicinity in the interest of the Dixie Portrait Company, of which J. H. Dye of Micanopy is the general agent. Mr. Davis is one of the cleverest of the agents of this company. He came from a fine family of the old State, and his air of refinement is convincing.

After several weeks spent in this city as the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. S. Bodiford, Mrs. M. I. Smith has returned to her home in McIntosh. While here she manifested her confidence in the city's future by purchasing the handsome Holloway home on East Seminary street. Mrs. Smith was indisposed when she arrived, but her friends will be glad at the information that she has entirely recovered.

Judge A. J. Cone departed yesterday for points in South Florida, where he expects to remain for several days. The Judge recently purchased the State right for the famous Garvey spring motor, and expects to make a big thing. The motor, as its name indicates, is wound by spring, and will run for two hours. It may be attached to a sewing machine, a churn or other devices, or it may be taken and used through the warm summer nights as a fan. There is no doubt but that the virtue is all that could be desired, and Judge Cone's expectations will no doubt be realized.

READ THIS.

Ripley, Tenn., June 1, 1901.
Dr. E. W. Hall, St. Louis Mo.—Dear Sir: Having tried various remedies without satisfactory results, I was persuaded to give your "Texas Wonder" a trial. I have used one bottle, and although my case is one of long standing that baffled the skill of the best physician, yet it yielded at once to "The Texas Wonder," which I heartily recommend to all suffering from kidney and bladder troubles.

Yours truly,
W. H. BRUTON,
Pastor Baptist Church, Ripley, Tenn.

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One small bottle of the Texas Wonder, Hall's Great Discovery, cures all kidney and bladder troubles, removes gravel, cures diabetes, seminal emissions, weak and lame backs, rheumatism and all irregularities of the kidneys and bladder in both men and women, regulates bladder troubles in children. If not sold by your druggist, will be sent by mail on receipt of \$1. One small bottle is two months' treatment and seldom fails to perfect a cure. Dr. Ernest W. Hall, sole manufacturer, P. O. box 629, St. Louis, Mo. Send for testimonials. Sold by all druggists.

Insure with Cushman & Hill.

W. T. Williams of Jacksonville is spending a few days in the city.

T. B. Stringfellow of Jacksonville was greeting old friends here yesterday.

Messrs. Andrew Jolly and J. B. Kennard of Waldo were visitors to this city yesterday.

Lott W. Johnson of Lake City, who owns one of the most extensive machine shops in West Florida, was in the city on business yesterday.

Prof. Tom F. McBeath and Captain Geo. M. Lynch have returned from Tallahassee, where on the 3rd inst. they witnessed the inaugural ceremonies.

Mrs. G. E. Oliphant and niece, Mrs. Monteith of Columbia, S. C., who is visiting Gainesville, departed Wednesday for Micanopy, where for a few days they will be the guests of the former's brother, Rev. E. A. Gray.

Mrs. Avery G. Powell and daughter arrived yesterday from Lake Butler, and will make their future home here, Mr. Powell having accepted a position on The Sun. They were accompanied by Julius Groover and sister, Miss Ethel Groover, who will remain for a few days. This estimable family will be gladly welcomed to Gainesville, and it is to be hoped that they will be well pleased.

E. B. Godwin of High Springs was transacting business in this city yesterday. Mr. Godwin is the junior member of the firm of G. W. Easterlin & Co., who had the misfortune on Tuesday night to lose their stock by fire. The loss was about \$4,000 with insurance of \$2,000. Mr. Godwin was receiving the sympathy of his friends, but accepted the loss as good-naturedly as could be expected. He stated that it had not yet been decided whether the firm would resume business in High Springs, but the chances for same are favorable.

NEW YORK RACKET.

CHEAPEST STORE ON EARTH.

After the

BEST XMAS TRADE

In our history, we wish to thank our many friends and patrons for their liberal patronage, and wish one and all a Happy New Year.

We are still at the old stand, and have a few goods left and will be pleased to have you call.

A small lot of that good Rice left at 2 75 for 100-pound sack.

10 and 20 cent Candies—the kind that is good; first-class.

Just received: Rugs and Art Squares.

Iron Beds! A strong line in the various grades.

Shoes! Shoes!

The King Quality Shoe for men at \$3.50, and the Crown at \$2.00, are values that can't be matched.

PHIFER BROTHERS.

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YOUR COMPLEXION
IN 10
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THE UNEQUALLED BEAUTIFIER.



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NATIONAL TOILET CO., Paris, Tenn.
Sold in Gainesville by J. S. Bodiford & Co., W. M. Johnson and all leading druggists.

The home belonging to A. W. Leighton, formerly of this city but now residing in Jacksonville, is being materially improved, and a neat and substantial fence is being constructed around the place. Mr. Leighton states that the place has been rented to a steady and desirable tenant. It is located in Southwest Gainesville, and is one of the most desirable houses in that section.

Miss Ida Redding, a charming young lady of Moseley Hall, after a visit to Judge and Mrs. Syd L. Carter, has returned to her home. Miss Redding is attending Brenau College, Gainesville, Ga., and after a brief visit at her home expects to return to college. The young lady, by her amiable disposition and bright manner, made many friends here who regretted to see her leave, but trust she will favor the city with another visit at no very distant date.

After a brief but pleasant "hand shaking" with friends here, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Capers departed last night for White Springs, where they will in future reside. It will be remembered that they were recently married in Atlanta, and are now concluding their wedding trip, which comprised the East Coast, a visit to relatives at Crescent City, and a brief sojourn here. Those who met Mrs. Capers were delighted, and it is to be hoped that she will favor Gainesville with frequent visits.

Water Notice.

To city water consumers: Your water rent for quarter ending March 31st, 1905, is now due and payable at this office. If not paid on or before January 10th, 1905, your water supply will, without further notice, be discontinued. Fee for turning on again \$1. By order of City Council.

J. M. DELL,
City Clerk and Treasurer.
Gainesville, Fla., January 2nd, 1905.

To the Public. The Diamond Ice Co. having just been incorporated will, on January 1st, 1905, succeed to the old partnership of Stringfellow Bros. & Livingston, taking on the assets and operating the factory for the benefit of the stockholders. All accounts must be settled on or before that time, as an entirely new set of books will be opened, and all patrons of the old company are requested to call at once and settle their accounts. No new accounts will be opened with persons who have failed to settle their old accounts.

Yours truly,
T. B. STRINGFELLOW,
R. L. STRINGFELLOW,
R. B. LIVINGSTON.
Gainesville, Fla., Dec. 23, 1904.

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Open Until Midnight. Drip Coffee.
Western Meats.

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FULL LINE OF NEW GOODS.

Personal attention to all matters in this line. Mail and telegraph orders promptly attended to.

Gainesville, Florida

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A FINE CALENDAR PHOTO given with every dozen cabinets. All the old standard styles and many new ones.

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Fine Fadeless Fotografis
From Locket to Life Size.

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Full Line of...

Gibson's, Christie's, Fisher's and Gilbert's Pictures, Novelties, Christmas Cards, Toys, Stationery, Art Gift Books—all prices.

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EDWARDS'

OPERA HOUSE

FRIDAY EVENING, Jan. 13

Dr. J. William Jones,

The Noted Lecturer and Historian, Will Deliver His Famous Lecture,

"The Boys in Gray,"

Under the auspices and for the benefit of J. J. Finley Chapter, U. D. C.

All Veterans of either the Blue or Gray should not miss the opportunity to hear this wonderful lecture, which is full of interest from beginning to end. It will prove an entertaining evening for all classes, ages and sexes. Don't fail to go.